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INDIANA ORATORY HEARD IN GOTHAN

Too Bad George Ade and Lew Swank Were Absent.

'WABASH' OVERWORKED

Gov. Marshall Seen Smoking a Coffin Nail.

About 225 Hoosiers Gather at Annual Banquet at the Waldorf and II-Sporting News and Gossip. Tell of Greatness of the State and 13-Commercial and Financial, Its Citizens, Present and Removed. 14-Hearing on Lights, Arranged Literary Lights and Other Luminaries Make Brilliant Scene.

New York, Dec. 2.-At the annual dinner of the Indiana Society to-night at governor's visit to New York was to does not know his own identity. light a cork tip and get away with it.

clety turned out about 225 strong to listen no baggage as far as is known. to a lot of speeches about themselves the orchestra played the waiters in and out of the grand ballroom, where the banquet was held, to the strains of "On Senator William Sharon, of Nevada, the Banks of the Wabash, Far Away.' Tunes like "The Suwanee River" and "My Old Kentucky Home" were received with polite attention, but when it was time again for "The Wabash"-Ah, then came back mental visions of pussy willows asiant the brook and Booth Tarkington and Democratic majorities and homey things like that. All Had to Talk,

Capt. James B. Curtis, the president of the society, marshaled the literary lights and other Hoosler geniuses in turn and Father Surprised When Boy told them when it was time for them to get up and tell how great is Indiana and everything connected with it. Gov. Marshall sat at the toastmaster's left as the guest of honor.

Seated also at the speaker's table were Meredith Nicholson, Horace Hord, President Scott C. Bone, of the Gridiron Club, Washington; former Representative Lafe Pence; President Parsons, of the Indiana Normal School; President U. N. Bethel, of the New York Telephone Company; William De Matos Hooper, and Joseph T

Fanning. Representative Sulzer was at one of the tables as a guest. Also among the 225 were Capt. Jack Thompson, of Indiapapolis and Broadway; Carroll C. Rawlings, and three generations of Rawlingses, and Mrs. Charles Austin Bates; Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Griswold Bourne, Capt. F. Y. Hedley, and Dr. and Mrs. Charles O'Donald. Gov. Marshall had it made plain to him est of our citizens, and Gov. Mar-shall the greatest of Hoosiers. The governor told the diners about "The Hooslers" also. If any of the speakers who had preceded him forgot anything importance that should be recalled cerning Indiana the governor remembered and sprung it pleasantly.

Represents 5,000 Novelists. Meredith Nichelson said he had come in

Hoosier farmer and his wife and daughters have so far forgotten their former with blue jean and sunbonnet local color is former statesmen. Lafe Pence did not alive. seem to feel offended

Subjects Discussed.

from Washington;" President Parsons city with Wiener a month ago, and was talked on "Educational Indiana;" Mr. arrested to-day as an accessory before Bethell on the subject of "Where Lincoln and after the fact of the murder of the spent his boyhood," and former Representative Pence on "Virginia at Indiana's at the morgue and protested that it was the Second Baptist Church received in the second Baptist Church

Gridironers in Washington, sang for the Hooslers to-night whenever the band declared that Wiener was not dead, and declared that Wiener was not dead, and quit "The Wabash" long enough to permit of a song being sandwiched in. And Then detectives got busy. there was time always to work in from various parts of the hall the thrilling yells of Indiana University, Perdue, Wabash, and all the other Indiana seats at the office of the Cigarmakers' Union. of learning that pave the State from river north to Lake.

SHE TALKS TO DEAD.

Woman Educator Says She Has Received Communication.

College, England, has had communication with the dead, according to Prof. J. H. Hyslop, secretary of the American Society of Psychical Research. The professor no time to read the newspapers. said to-day;

"There is no question but that Mrs. Verral has had communication with the "My mother is sick and I am afraid dead, and such communication does more this thing may kill her. I want to clear than anything else to prove the immor-tality of the soul or spirit. Such proof the thought that has buried me and of immortality strengthens the argument of the existence of a delty. I don't think the body, while the police were learning one can get adequate evidence of the ex- of the mistake. istence of a deity until immortality is

BREAKS AIR SPEED RECORD.

Hamilton Flies Four Miles in Three Minutes.

Memphis, Dec. 2.-Sensational altitude flights by Rene Barrier and Garros, French aviators; a flight of 5,000 feet by Club wit to-night until of a sudden he or the victim of a delusion before taking John B. Moisant, the American aviator, found himself in danger of being beguiled action and the breaking of the world's speed of his birthright of nationality. record in a biplane by Charles K. Hamilton, marked the second day of the international aviation meet to-day.

Hamilton made four miles in 3 minutes and. track at Sacramento, Cal.

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For the District of Columbia and Maryland-Fair to-day; tomorrow, increasing cloudiness and warmer; light westerly winds, becoming variable.

HERALD NEWS SUMMARY.

-Hogslers Banquet in New York. Church on Wheels in Alexandria. Mexican Jails Rapidly Filling. Election Excitement in England 3-Marshall Assails Beveridge

Cardinal Urges Square Deal. Race Track Fund Explained. Two Mentioned for Bench. -Exposure Kills Aerial Racer. 5-In the World of Society. 6-Editorial. 7-Society at Fort Myer Drill,

8-Notes of the Theaters. "The White Cat," a Serial. 9-With the Washington Churches, 10-Banquet for Eastern High School,

HIS MEMORY GONE.

Son of Nobleman Thought to Be in America.

San Francisco, Dec. 2.-Detectives here the Waldorf the governor of the State and elsewhere in America are searching that is the home and inventor of anti- for Lieut. Frederick Hesketh, son of Sir cigarette laws, Tom Marshall, sat at the Thomas Hesketh, of London. He is beguest table smoking a coffin nail. Some- lieved to be wandering about this coun body said that the chief reason for the try suffering from amnesia, so that he

He was last seen leaving a small boat Despite the enforced absence of George at Kingston pier, Ireland, soon after Ade and Lew Swank, the Indiana So- daylight on Sunday, October 30. He had

He is twenty-seven years old and a and then take turns in making them, lieutenant in the Ninth Lancers. He While they were working up to oratory has been suffering from loss of memory

MISTAKES CORPSE FOR THAT OF SON

Shows Up Alive.

KILLED IN DUEL WITH POLICE

Victim of Officer's Bullet Also a ance of the Use of His Name,

Philadelphia, Dec. 2.-'I am Hyman

by Wiener himself just as his father. Leon Wiener, of Boston, with the dead body of the man he had identified as that the greatest State in the Union is his son, was about to leave for the New CHURCHON WHERIS Monday night last shot and killed Policeman Barnett and was shot and instantly killed by the officer just before the latter lapsed into unconsciousness. This sudden and unexpected turn in the case, following the murder of the policeman, puts the local police department again up in the air as to who the dead man really was. Wiener's father came the interest of 5,000 novelists from In- from Boston and made positive identidiana who want to protest that the fication of the dead murderer as his son Starts Off with Body.

The return to Boston, after having work of supplying the Hoosier authors satisfied the local authorities that he was that now it is troublesome to find any of the dead man's father, was scheduled the old stuff to write about in the home for to-night. The body had been placed State. The hobble skirt also has reached on board the train, and the elder Wiener Logansport. According to Mr. Nicholson, had taken his seat in the car when word one of the big products of the State now was rushed to him that his son was

The surprise was sprung after the arrest of Alexander McDonald, an auc-Scott C. Bone spoke of "A Hoosler tioneer from Boston, who came to this policeman. McDonald viewed the body at the morgue and protested that it was John H. Nolan, who sings for the Wiener. At the hearing McDonald was

Like an Apparition.

This evening Hyman Wiener appeared where he was known. When he apseen Wiener before stared aghast. They could not believe that a dead man had come to life, and they were sure the body of the dead man had been identified by his father. In wonderment, they questioned the visitor.

"I am Hyman Wiener," the young man Boston, Dec. 2.-Mrs. M. De G. Verral, said, and when told it was believed he lecturer of Greek and Latin at Newnham had been shot and killed and his body had lain in the morgue four days he was as much surprised as the others. He explained the story by saying that he had been working regularly and had

"This is the first intimation I had of the whole affair," continued Wiener. that I am a murderer.

Wiener senior started for Boston with

JUSSERAND AT DINNER.

French Ambassador Is Guest at Lotus Club.

New York, Dec. 2.-His excellency, Jules. F. Jusserand, Ambassador from France, nibbled at the buds of Lotus Club hospitality and at full flavor Lotus tion to decide whether Cook is a swindler

"When that wise old Ulysses was among you lotus eaters he found himself in a desperate position," said M. Jusser-"He said that there was danger of 1 second, an average of 79.2 miles an staying too long among the lotus eaters, hour, exceeding his own previous record for in eating with them one forgets his of 64.6 miles an hour, made on a mile native land. Here am I in danger for the night of forgetting.'

ee with 15th Every Saturday and Sunday. All trains both ways, both days, except Royal Lim-

A GOOD EXAMPLE TO FOLLOW. WEATHER FORECAST.



COURT TO FREE PRISONER IF PARTNERS ARE CLEARED

Chicago, Dec. 2.-Federal Judge Lan- Turning to Harry Parkin and Henry dis took occasion to-day to object to Freeman, the assistant district attorneys, Government Makes Roundwhat he understood would be the atti- Judge Landis said: tude of the government in the case against, Max Bronstein and Samuel to be done in the matter of compromis-Weiss, accused of being implicated with ing this crime?" Simon Frindel in defrauding the government of \$100,000 in internal revenue by the man, "but I'll write." illicit operations of the Illinois Fruit

cations-Hyman Wiener in Ignor- cases against the two latter were to be Bronstein and turns them loose in concompromised on a cash basis.

Distilling Company.

"If that is done, I will turn Frindel lose, and they'll not loose, too," he said.

He further took occasion to criticise the action of the government in bring-tence Frindel next Tuesday, and ordered This was the startling statement made declaring that the case would have been instead of in a hotel under guard of a just as strong without them.

"Has the government decided what is

"I have not yet heard," said Mr. Free-"There are telegraph wires," suggested

"But I prefer to write," said Freeman. Frindel had been found guilty by a fury after a trial in which Bronstein and Welss testified against him. Then Judge Landis said that he understood that the Treasury accepts money from Welss and the Treasury accepts mentally accepts the Treasury accepts the Treasury accepts the Treasury accepts the Treasury accepts the Tre sideration of getting some dirty money,

ing Weiss and Bronstein in as witnesses, that in the meantime he be kept in jail rapidly rounding up the leaders and plot-

from Injuries of Fall.

The dead are:

injured men, crushing them,

700 CLAIM ESTATE.

Case Into Court.

Sprague, in real estate located in this

plaint. No decision was rendered.

SCHOOLBOYS ON STRIKE.

Pupils in New Jersey.

strikes broke out to-day among school-

boys in three Hudson County (N. J.)

municipalities, causing many black

marks for the absence and tardiness in

public schools, 21 in Jersey City, 7

York, Dec. 2.-An epidemic

TWO ARE KILLED WHEN LIFT DROPS STOPPED BY LAW

Moving Edifice Has 'Run-in' Other Workmen May Die with County Officials.

Church and state collided in Alexandria | Philadelphia, Dec. 2.-A man and a boy yesterday, and the State won out, tem- were killed and two other men probably porarily, at least. While other conse- fatally injured shortly before noon toone result stands out prominently-Alex- at the C. J. Matthews & Co. glazed kid In the middle of Columbus street, with broke, allowing the elevator to fall. red lanterns warning drivers of the obstruction, the little Second Baptist Church stood through the night. Beneath it were 24 Beck street. four big rollers, whose progress had been JOSEPH ATBECK, fifteen years, 24 Norfolk peremptorily stopped by the strong arm street. of the law when the edifice was being The two men injured are Max Ignacick moved to a new site.

A short time ago, the congregation of tured skulls and are also suffering from the Second Baptist Church received no- internal injuries. The workmen had loadfrom the site at Columbus and Pendleton vator to be taken from the first to the streets, else the building would pass into fifth floor. another's hands. It was decided to The cable broke when the elevator 'move.'

Permission was obtained from the city dropped. The men were thrown off and permission was removal of the building Anderson and Young Atbeck fell to a site some distance away, and several moving men were consulted. Yesterday was knocked off and fell on the other they put the rollers under the building, put their shoulders to the rear of the church, peared the secretary and others who had and gave the edifice an auspicious start on its career toward a new home.

Just when the rollers were beginning to creak tunefully, up stepped the law in the shape of injunctions, sheriffs, and a few other technicalities. A lot of legal verblage had the workmen guessing, until it was explained that the papers meant 'Nix on the moving."

Property owners near what was to be the new site had objected to a "church in riet B. Sprague, widow of Amasa their midst," and the law did the rest. And there you are. Alexandria has a city, Cranston, Warwick, and other church on wheels-in fact, a church with- towns, and now claimed by about 700 out a home, a wanderer on the face of different owners, was argued before the Columbus street. Unless the church elders Supreme Court to-day upon questions can get back of those legal papers in raised during the hearing in the Superior some way, there is good chance parishioners hearing the Word of God preached from a church a-wheel to

MAY CANCEL COOK'S DEGREE.

Copenhagen, Dec. 2.-In consequence of Dr. Cook's confession that he may have the '70's. Mrs. Sprague's claim is that made a mistake in his claim of having discovered the north pole, the council versity on Cook when he returned from the north.

It was decided to await an investiga-

Baltimore Pastor Robbed. New York, Dec. 2.-A man who says he

s Rev. Dallia Cuyler, of Baltimore, staying at a hotel at 270 Third avenue, was Hoboken, and 7 in North Bergen, and assaulted and robbed in the 125th street much anxiety among the principals and subway station to-night. At the East teachers in the strike zone. 126th street police station he said that It is believed that the h two men attacked him in the men's room fected by left-over germs from the exon the downtown platform. They took pressmen's recent strike. his diamond ring, \$3, and his watch.

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INSURRECTOS FILL

up of Revolt Leaders.

JAN B. VACA AMONG PRISONERS

Planned Attacks in Parral, Now Behind Bars, as Is Cardenas. Another Important Suspect-Two Bandits Killed in Fierce Fight.

many towns the jails are overcrowded with the political prisoners.

One of the most important captures is Jan B. Vaca, who is alleged to have laid the plans for the attacks on Parral and other places in that region. He has been brought here and placed in prison. He is said to have been one of Madero's righthand men, and to have laids plans for attacking towns all over the republic, but in person supervised the planning of the raid on Paral.

he was captured by secret service men. Rafael Quiroz Cardenas, another important suspect, and J. Socorro Cervantes, a scarcely less valuable capture, have arquences may develop from the "run-in," day, when the cable of a freight elevator rived under guard from Jiquilpan, Michoacan.

andria has a full-grown church on rollers, works at American and Willow streets! Cardenas is said to have been the leading anti-Re-electionist of the Michoacan town, and to have been tireless in FRANK ANDERSON, twenty-two years old, of his machinations against the existing government. He is alleged to have formulated plots and to have been on the point of carrying them out with the aid of a number of other malcontents when and Peter Gladin. They both have fracently was frustrated by the capture of

this man and of his companion Cervantes. Charged with Rioting.

Cervantes himself is charged with being no small figure among the Madero supporters and plotters against Mexico. His work extended beyond paper, accordreached the second floor. The elevator ing to the charges, and he was actually involved in some of the rioting which has tially beneath the lift. The load of skins marked the past three weeks in various towns of the republic.

Rurales in conflict with four men and a boy, whom they surprised cutand forced the men to fly

Widow of Amasa Sprague Brings El Paladin, an anti-Re-electionist organ, currently reported to have been financed by Madero and his supporters, has been closed by order of the court. Providence, R. I., Dec. 2.-The equity Ramon Alvarez Soteo, editor and prosuit involving the right of dower of Har-

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ELOPERS STOPPING HERE. Chauffeur and Millionaire Helress

Congratulated on Marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Al Saunders, the former Court on demurrers filed by several re- a chauffeur employed by his bride's York county from getting married in the principle of home rule be admitted to a spondents to Mrs. Sprague's bill of com- mother, and the latter formerly Miss eleven months of 1910, as shown by the Blanche Malone, the millionaire heiress, records of the marriage license bureau, The dower rights for which Mrs. Sprague sues are, she claims, vested in Mount Vernon Seminary, are stopping From January 1 to November 30, 31,565 property which was transferred to a at the Cochran Hotel, where they are rethe time of the big Sprague failure in of the university here met to-day and his property. Since that time the vast tracts of land have been solid and resold.

In the university here met to-day and the question of the cancellatracts of land have been solid and resold.

Malone is reported to be prostrated by over the preceding year.

As each license issued time her husband (now dead) turned over was confirmed yesterday at the Malone home in Fairmont, W. Va., where Mrs. taken out, an increase of nearly 3,000 Many Black Marks Go Against in the West Virginia coal fields, and is

Says Assault Led to Murder.

Charles E. Gibson, millionaire oil operator, sobbed out the story that she said she told her husband which caused her from his bank about two weeks ago. husband to kill Gibson. She told how she first met Gibson. She asserted he induced

MAY OPPOSE DU PONT.

New Legislators Not Solidly Back of Delaware Senator.

Dover, Del., Dec. 2.-Senator Du Pont is believed to have the backing of the Republican organization throughout the State, but several of the new legislators, it is reported, will not consult the or ganization, but will act on their own Results of Seventy Districts

judgment. Alfred I. Du Pont, of Wilmington, a man of ability and wealth, having, it is aid, an income of \$500,000, is reported here as willing to run against Senator Henry Du Pont, and some Republicans sion will or an here with the liveliest days of Addicks in Delaware.

LODGE NOT WORRIED.

Suggestion of "Foss" Brings Only a Smile.

New York, Dec. 2.-United States Senator Henry C. Lodge, of Massachusetts paused while at the Eelmont to-day on his way to Washington and was observed to be wearing a cheerful smile as e crossed the lobby.

"Foss?" said somebody at the Senator in a sort of booing way. It did not seem to faze him in the slightest.
"You look very cheerful for a state-man

who is about to be stripped of his seat and his reputation," remarked an ac-"Well," replied the Senator, "I am about as happy as a good man can be strug-gling with adversity."

WILL BRING \$500,000.

Fourteen Thousand Sealskins to Be Sold in London.

The United States government will place on sale in London in about two weeks 14,000 raw skins taken from male seals killed several months ago on the Pribilof Islands, off the coast of Alaska, by order of the Department of Commerce and La-

Commissioner of Fisheries George W Bowers left Washington yesterday for London as the government's representave at the sale, which is to take place at the establishment of a well-known

The sale of these skins abroad follows that they could not be properly treated or cured in this country. It is expected that \$500,000 or more will be realized.

AERO DROPS 60 FEET.

Augustus Post Hurt in Mishap at New Orleans Meet.

New Orleans, Dec. 2.-Augustus Post, one of the aviators in the meet here, was seriously injured when his machine was Mexico City, Dec. 2.—The government is in an automobile and is under the care of titude, wherein he asserted that he was

of them dashed on the field and thronged sincerity. around the wrecked biplane.

M'CREA IS SILENT.

Says Visit to Taft Does Not Interest

the Public. Philadelphia, Dec. 2.-James McCrea, president of the Pennsylvania Railroad, who was reported to have visited Pres-After the plans miscarried and the ident Taft at Washington in an effort campaign is gradually becoming more rebels were thoroughly whipped, Vaca to have Chief Justice Gummere, of New bitter and promises at its climax to fied southward through Durango up to Jersey, appointed to the supreme Court, eclipse anything ever seen in English the capital of the state of Jalisco, where denied to-day that he had discussed with politics. the President any subject relating to the politics of New Jersey, and asserted that Unionists in all were returned without of interview with Mr. Taft was of a opposition. purely persona! nature, in which the pub-

c was not interested. Mr. McCrea, in a stenographic reply,

"I have no more to say about my visit to Washington than I have said to the reporters in that city. My visit was entirely a personal one, and nothing tran-

arrested. The attack on Jiquilpan appar- HORSE WRECKS AUTO.

Richmond Mayor Has Narrow Escape from Injury. Special to The Washington Herald.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 2.-Mayor C. M. Exum, of Birmingham, Ala. Mayor D. board of aldermen, and Superintendent pot, as the only course open to Balfour of Streets Henry Cohn, of Richmond, would be another appeal to the country. had a narrow escape from injury to-day when the automobile in which they were ting telegraph wires in Colonia Al-dana near Atzcapotzalco, killed the boy wagon. The horse, climbing clear to the op of the hood, totally wrecked the machine and badly cut the wrist of Chauffeur J. W. Jackson. The negro driver, Harrison Mercer, was

immediately arrested. Eyewitnesses state that he did nothing to avert the accident.

CUPID HAS BUSY YEAR

in Eleven Months Was 31,565. New York, Dec. 2.-Whatever else it has done the high cost of living has not prevented 63,130 men and women in New party was willing and anxious that the

Number of Marriages in New York

licenses were issued. This number was celving the congratulations of friends. within 22 of the total for the entire 12 the '70's. Mrs. Sprague's claim is that she never signed the documents at the time her husband (now dead) the seminary about the elopement, the report of licenses issued in December of last year, at the end of this month approximately 34,000 permits will have been

> the news of her daughter's marriage.
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> Miss Malonc's father, the late Lee J.
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> Malone, was a millionaire coal operator taken in 1910 over the marriage license in the West Virginia coal fields, and is counter. The salaries of the clerks in said to have left his daughter more than the bureau amount to \$14,350 a year, so \$1,000.000 by the terms of his will.
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> Saunders was employed by the Malone twice over.
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> family at Fairmont as a chauffeur.

> Bank Clerk Held for Larceny. New York, Dec. 2.-Cornwall A. Arnold, Vincennes, Ind., Dec. 2.-Mrs. Menlo a 25-year-old clerk in the Corn Exchange Moore, on the witness stand to-day in the Bank, who lives with his mother and two trial of her husband for the murder of sisters in an apartment house at 541 West

her to accompany him to a barn on pre-tense of trapping her husband with another woman, and then assaulted her. slonal Limited."

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TO DECIDE HOUSE

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are prophesying that the legislative ses- UNIONISTS SEE GAINS

Predict a Landslide if They Are Successful.

Polls in Widely Scattered Parts of United Kingdom Will Serve to Show How General Result Will Figure-Election Begins with Unopposed Re-election of Eleven Unionists and Four Radicals.

London, Dec. 2 .- Seventy polls to-morrow in widely scattered parts of the United Kingdom should give a fair index of how the election begun yesterday will result. Unionists are optimistic, and some of the prophets see an anti-government landslide.

In practically all of the districts which will elect members to the new House of Commons to-morrow there were unuusaily close fights last year. This gives the Unionists considerable hope, as they think a victory to-day is all that is needed to precipitate a landslide in their favor.

With the return of eleven Unionists and four Radicals to-day, the nucleus of the new house was formed. All of the nominations were unopposed, and consequently the return of these members is assured. Balfour Elected Again.

The Unionists elected to-day included Right Hon. Arthur J. Balfour, the opposition leader, and Joseph Chamberlain, who has represented the west division of Birmingham since 1875. The four Liberals ne conclusion reached by the department included Arthur A. Haworth, who owed his uncontested return from South Manchester to the fact that his Unionist opponent was disqualified because, through a mistake, he arrived at the nomination

station six minutes late. Thee elections began in inclement weather. It was cold and dreary. Despite this and the fact that candidates were unopposed, there was a great deal of excitement.

Surrounded by a special guard of detectives to protect him from the suffracaught in a heavy gust of wind late this gettes, Home Secretary Winston Churchill afternoon and swept to earth sheer sixty went to Cheshire to-day to deliver two feet below. He sustained bruises about speeches. He replied to utterances of the face and body, and was knocked unformer Premier A. J. Balfour, declaring sclous. He was rushed to his hotel that Mr. Balfour's sudden change of at-There was great excitement among the willing to-allow the constitutional ques-6,000 spectators when Post fell, and 2,000 tions to go before the people, showed in

A special train waited at Cheshire to carry the home secretary to Grimsby, where Mr. Balfour will also speak this evening. The home secretary will journey to Sheffield and speak in reply to the speech delivered at Grimsby by the expremier. A special relay of automobiles will carry a verbatim report of the Bal-four speech to Sheffield from Grimsby. Mr. Churchill will be in Manchester to

morrow.

Despite the weather, the house-to-house canvass of the candidates continues. The

Among the candidates returned unop-

Foresees Reduced Majority. There has been a steady decline in the through the medium of his private sec- stock exchange price of coalition stock since the opening of the electoral campaign. Starting at 120 as the probable majority for the coalition of parties, the figure gradually has dropped until it now spired in which the public was inter- ranges in the neighborhood of 60. If the brokers are well inspired the chances that the present struggle will settle the great constitutional questions now before

the country seem remote. Shoud Premier Asquith and his Nationalist and Laborite allies be returned to power with anything like so reduced a majority as here indicated it is freely predicted that the premier will resign. In that case A. J. Balfour, the opposition leader, and prime minister in 1902-05, presumably would be invited by King George C. Richardson, of Richmond; H. C. to form a new cabinet, and everything Rogers, president of the Birmingham would be again thrown into the melting

Money to Buy Arms. The emergency committee of the Ulster Unionists councils, which was appointed November 28 to organize Ulster men into regiments to oppose the establishment of met in Belfast to-day and decided to invite tenders for supplying arms and am-

munition. At the meeting at which the committee was appointed the sum of \$50,000 was subscribed for the purpose of buying arms for the regiments the committee was authorized to organize.

In a speech at Walsall to-day John nd, the Irish leader, said the Irish referendum of the British people.

PLAYWRIGHT COMMITS ARSON TO GET REALISM

Vienna, Dec. 2. - Friederich Steinischmied, the playwright and poet, surrendered to the police of Prague to-day, confessing that he was guilty of arson. He said that while rehearsing one of his plays in which a peasant sets fire to a barn he failed to make the scene realistic. He' decided that he must himself experience a criminal impression. He, therefore, went into the country and set fire to a barn, taking notes of the incident and his own feelings. These he incorporated into his play, which is now running in Behmin with great success.

Through to Chicago in 181/4 Hours. Pennsylvania Special. Through sleeping car from Washington to Chicago. Leaves Union Station 3:40 p. m.; arrives Chicago 8:55 next morning.